

PATENT APPLICATION



in re the Application of

Fuyuki MAEHARA

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Examiner:

R. PATEL

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VOLTAGE REGULATOR FOR CONTROLLING OUTPUT VOLTAGE OF

AUTOMOTIVE ALTERNATOR

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A personal interview was conducted on October 4, 2005 between Applicants' representative and Examiner R. Patel at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

During the interview, we reviewed the subject matter of the application and compared and contrasted the claims to U.S. Patent 5,151,646 to Vercesi et al. The Examiner indicated that an additional search would be conducted in light of the interview.

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